

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: David B. Weiner *et al.*

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Title: **METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR DELIVERING PROTEINS TO
MACROPHAGE CELLS AND CELLS OF MACROPHAGE DERIVED
LINEAGE**

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REPLY AND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This reply and amendment is being filed in response to the outstanding Official Action dated July 31, 2009, in connection with the above-identified patent application. **The period to respond is extended by petition and payment of the appropriate fee provided herewith.** Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and withdrawal of the pending rejections upon reconsideration.

Amendments to the claims begin on Page 2.

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